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Exhibit Information

1. The ADMISSIONS/ENTRANCE
2. BELLEVUE was the Tallahassee home of Catherine Willis Murat from 1854 to 1867.
3. The BETHLEHEM MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH was built in 1937 in Bel Air, a community south of Tallahassee.
4. The CONCORD SCHOOL was built in the Miccosukee community, east of Tallahassee, around 1893.
5. This SEABOARD CABOOSE was in service from 1924 to 1960.
6. The TRANSPORTATION EXHIBIT houses wagons and buggies, as well as a 1919 Ford Model "T" touring car.
7. The NATURE TRAIL is a loop of approximately .6 mile (1 km) with trees, shrubs, and natural features identified. A trail guide booklet is available at Admissions.
8. The NATURAL HABITAT ZOO circles for about .6 mile (1 km) through the Natural Habitat Zoo, providing the chance to view animals in a natural environment. Although native to this area, these animals probably would not survive if released. Most were orphaned or injured, and others have been bred and raised in captivity. Look carefully to see them, just as in nature.

9.–18. Information about the animals is provided at each habitat.

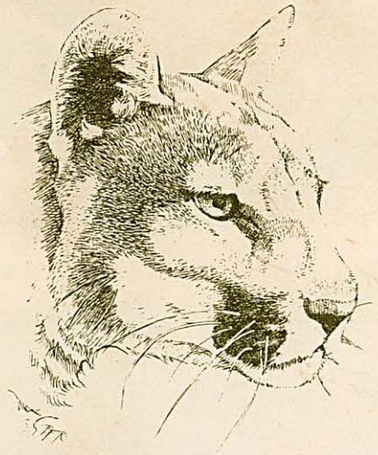
19. The lower Deer Bridge is at the edge of Lake Bradford.
20. The REPTILE EXHIBIT houses poisonous and non-poisonous snakes displayed with paintings of their natural habitats.
21. In the main building, or FOUNDERS BUILDING, you will find temporary exhibits, a reference library, offices, and restrooms.
    The TURTLE POND features young alligators, yellow-bellied turtles, pond sliders, softshell turtles, snapping turtles, and the terrestrial box turtles and gopher tortoises.
22. The NUNEZ BUILDING is used by the Museum preschool classes.
23. The FLEISCHMANN NATURAL SCIENCE BUILDING, commonly known as the *bird-room,* features a *bird window, aquariums,* and a *touch tank.* (Adult supervision required.)
24. The PHIPPS BUILDING is a classroom and houses the Museum's collections.
25. The OUTDOOR STAGE is used for performances and special events.
    The PICNIC & PLAYGROUND AREA has vending machines and restrooms.
26. The BIG BEND FARM is a group of buildings from North Florida farms moved to the Museum to represent 19th century rural life.

27.–40. Information about the Big Bend Farm is provided in the farm entrance area and at each building.

Museum Membership

Museum family memberships allow one year's free admission for your family. Funds raised through memberships support Museum programs and exhibits. Your entrance fee can be applied toward a membership purchased today.

Groups of 20 or more qualify for a reduced admission fee; educational group memberships are also available.



Tallahassee Jr. Museum

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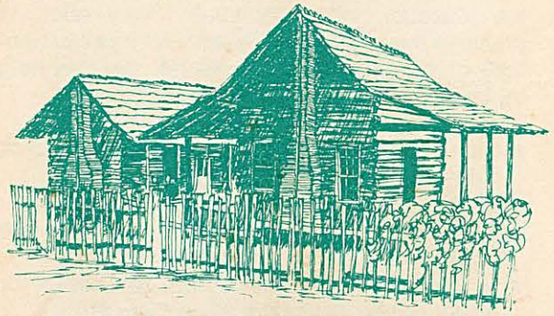
Open Tuesday–Saturday, 9–5; Sunday, 12:30–5; closed Monday.

Museum Guide



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The Tallahassee Jr. Museum is a non-profit educational institution serving the region as a museum of history and natural science, and a natural habitat zoo of native Florida wildlife.

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Museum Guide

Welcome!

We are delighted that you have chosen to visit the Museum. We have made every effort to preserve the natural beauty and historical authenticity of the grounds and buildings. You may help by following these guidelines:

- Stay on marked, public trails. Do not pick plants or attempt to capture animals.
- Deposit all trash in receptacles provided.
- Picnic only in the designated area. Do not take drinks or food in buildings or on trails.
- Leave pets, bicycles, radios, tape decks, or alcoholic beverages outside the grounds.

- For your comfort and safety, please do not:
- Smoke in historical buildings or exhibit areas.
- Leave children unattended.
- Tease or feed animals.
- Run or jump from boardwalks, porches, or ramps.
- Climb trees or swing on vines or branches.

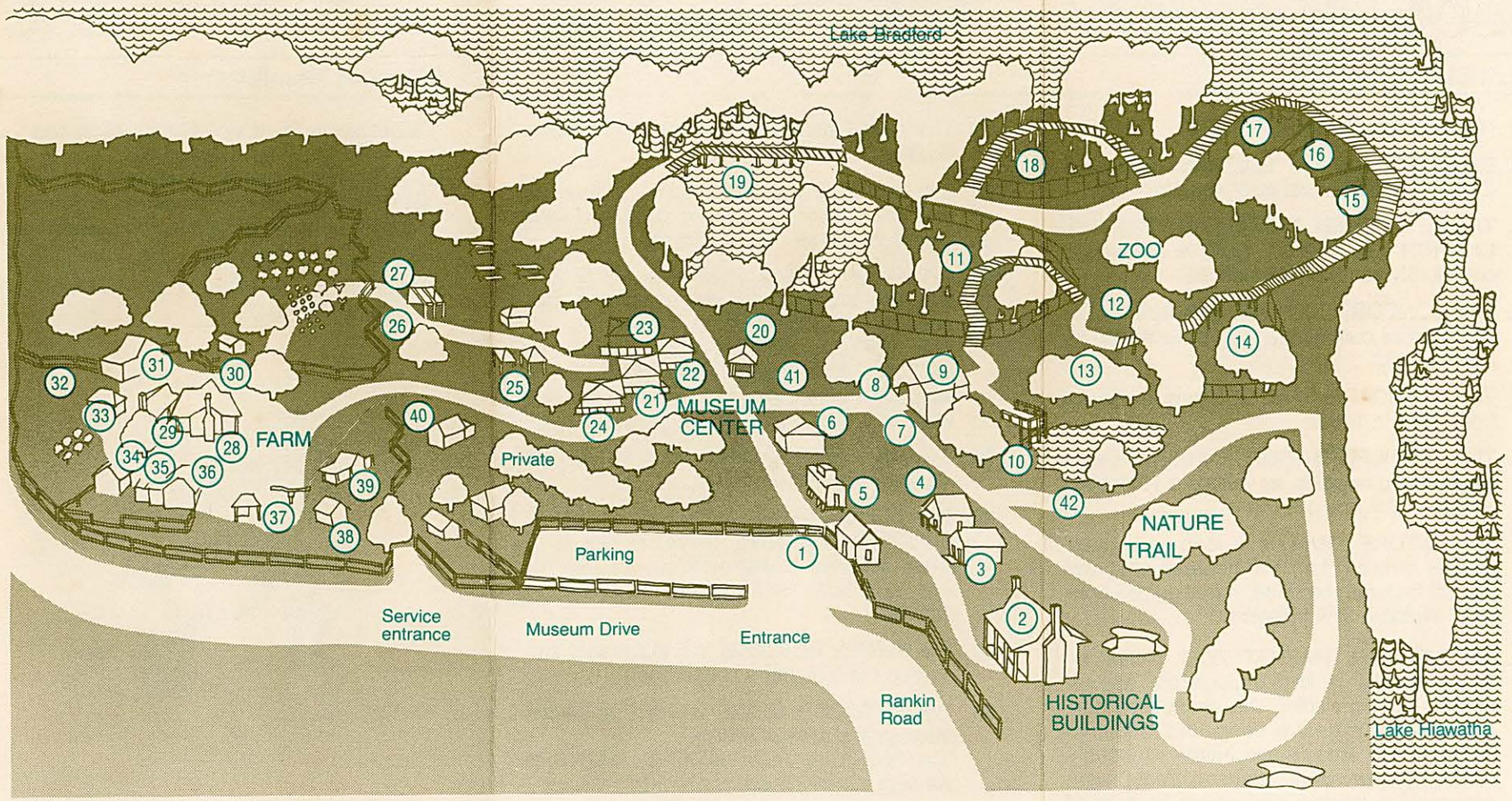
A courtesy cart for the disabled, sponsored by the Altrusa Club of Tallahassee, is available from Admissions.

Trails close at 4:30; gates close at 5:15.

Your cooperation is appreciated. If you need assistance, please do not hesitate to ask.

Enjoy Your Visit!

The Museum Staff



1. Admissions/Entrance
2. Bellevue
3. Church
4. School
5. Caboose
6. Transportation Exhibit
7. Nature Trail (entrance)
8. Natural Habitat Zoo (entrance)
9. Birds of Prey Habitat
10. Waterfowl Habitat
11. White-tailed Deer Habitat
12. River Otter Habitat
13. Red Wolf Habitat
14. Bobcat Habitat
15. Florida Panther Habitat
16. Alligator Habitat
17. Black Bear Habitat
18. Fox & Skunk Habitat
19. Lower Deer Bridge
20. Reptile Exhibit, Outdoor Classroom
21. Founders Building (main building, office, restrooms, turtle pond)
22. Nunez Building (classrooms)
23. Fleischmann Building ("birdroom", aquariums)
24. Phipps Building (classroom)
25. Outdoor Stage, Picnic & Playground Area (vending machines, restrooms)
26. Big Bend Farm (entrance)
27. Gristmill
28. Farmhouse
29. Kitchen
30. Potato House
31. Buggy Shed & Harness House, Mule
32. Outhouse
33. Smokehouse
34. Corn Crib, Sheep
35. Chicken House
36. Barn, Cow
37. Syrup Shed & Cane Mill
38. Corn Crib, Pig Pen
39. Blacksmith Shop
40. Commissary, Museum Store
41. Guest Animal Habitat
42. Bison/Elk Habitat (future)